

**SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS**  
**2009-2013 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates**

Area Name : Census Tract 6066.06, Howard County, Maryland

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	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
<b>HOUSING OCCUPANCY</b>				
<b>Total housing units</b>	2,111	+/- 55	100.0%	+/- (X)
Occupied housing units	1,968	+/- 130	93.2%	+/- 5.3
Vacant housing units	143	+/- 112	6.8%	+/- 5.3
<b>Homeowner vacancy rate</b>	3	+/- 4.6	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>Rental vacancy rate</b>	6	+/- 6.9	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>UNITS IN STRUCTURE</b>				
<b>Total housing units</b>	2,111	+/- 55	100.0%	+/- (X)
1-unit, detached	324	+/- 84	15.3%	+/- 3.9
1-unit, attached	542	+/- 124	25.7%	+/- 5.7
2 units	8	+/- 14	0.4%	+/- 0.7
3 or 4 units	28	+/- 31	1.3%	+/- 1.5
5 to 9 units	140	+/- 94	6.6%	+/- 4.5
10 to 19 units	802	+/- 149	38%	+/- 7.1
20 or more units	267	+/- 105	12.6%	+/- 4.9
Mobile home	0	+/- 12	0%	+/- 1.6
Boat, RV, van, etc.	0	+/- 12	0%	+/- 1.6
<b>YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT</b>				
<b>Total housing units</b>	2,111	+/- 55	100.0%	+/- (X)
Built 2010 or later	7	+/- 12	0.3%	+/- 0.6
Built 2000 to 2009	24	+/- 30	1.1%	+/- 1.4
Built 1990 to 1999	581	+/- 113	27.5%	+/- 5.5
Built 1980 to 1989	661	+/- 178	31.3%	+/- 8.1
Built 1970 to 1979	655	+/- 135	31%	+/- 6.4
Built 1960 to 1969	95	+/- 69	4.5%	+/- 3.3
Built 1950 to 1959	29	+/- 36	1.4%	+/- 1.7
Built 1940 to 1949	9	+/- 15	0.7%	+/- 0.7
Built 1939 or earlier	50	+/- 49	2.4%	+/- 2.3
<b>ROOMS</b>				
<b>Total housing units</b>	2,111	+/- 55	100.0%	+/- (X)
1 room	23	+/- 27	1.1%	+/- 1.3
2 rooms	97	+/- 54	4.6%	+/- 2.5
3 rooms	206	+/- 98	9.8%	+/- 4.6
4 rooms	408	+/- 156	19.3%	+/- 7.5
5 rooms	496	+/- 154	23.5%	+/- 7.1
6 rooms	343	+/- 120	16.2%	+/- 5.7
7 rooms	214	+/- 96	10.1%	+/- 4.5
8 rooms	148	+/- 64	7%	+/- 3.1
9 rooms or more	176	+/- 61	8.3%	+/- 2.9
<b>Median rooms</b>	5.1	+/- 0.3	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>BEDROOMS</b>				
<b>Total housing units</b>	2,111	+/- 55	100.0%	+/- (X)
No bedroom	23	+/- 27	1.1%	+/- 1.3
1 bedroom	372	+/- 107	17.6%	+/- 5.1
2 bedrooms	650	+/- 151	30.8%	+/- 7
3 bedrooms	811	+/- 141	38.4%	+/- 6.7
4 bedrooms	187	+/- 85	8.9%	+/- 4
5 or more bedrooms	68	+/- 40	3.2%	+/- 1.9

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<b>HOUSING TENURE</b>				
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	1,968	+/- 130	100.0%	+/- (X)
Owner-occupied	856	+/- 153	43.5%	+/- 7
Renter-occupied	1,112	+/- 151	56.5%	+/- 7
<b>Average household size of owner-occupied unit</b>	2.30	+/- 0.28	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>Average household size of renter-occupied unit</b>	2.30	+/- 0.25	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT</b>				
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	1,968	+/- 130	100.0%	+/- (X)
Moved in 2010 or later	435	+/- 123	22.1%	+/- 5.8
Moved in 2000 to 2009	1,084	+/- 163	55.1%	+/- 7.4
Moved in 1990 to 1999	264	+/- 93	13.4%	+/- 4.9
Moved in 1980 to 1989	129	+/- 64	6.6%	+/- 3.2
Moved in 1970 to 1979	32	+/- 26	1.6%	+/- 1.3
Moved in 1969 or earlier	24	+/- 40	1.2%	+/- 2
<b>VEHICLES AVAILABLE</b>				
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	1,968	+/- 130	100.0%	+/- (X)
No vehicles available	55	+/- 36	2.8%	+/- 1.8
1 vehicle available	1,060	+/- 200	53.9%	+/- 8.5
2 vehicles available	704	+/- 151	35.8%	+/- 7.8
3 or more vehicles available	149	+/- 63	7.6%	+/- 3.3
<b>HOUSE HEATING FUEL</b>				
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	1,968	+/- 130	100.0%	+/- (X)
Utility gas	756	+/- 143	38.4%	+/- 7.2
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	10	+/- 15	0.5%	+/- 0.8
Electricity	1,143	+/- 169	58.1%	+/- 7
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	19	+/- 15	1%	+/- 0.8
Coal or coke	0	+/- 12	0%	+/- 1.8
Wood	30	+/- 49	1.5%	+/- 2.5
Solar energy	0	+/- 12	0.0%	+/- 1.8
Other fuel	10	+/- 15	0.5%	+/- 0.8
No fuel used	0	+/- 12	0%	+/- 1.8
<b>SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS</b>				
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	1,968	+/- 130	100.0%	+/- (X)
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	0	+/- 12	0%	+/- 1.8
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	7	+/- 11	0.4%	+/- 0.6
No telephone service available	29	+/- 26	1.5%	+/- 1.3
<b>OCCUPANTS PER ROOM</b>				
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	1,968	+/- 130	100.0%	+/- (X)
1.00 or less	1,968	+/- 130	100%	+/- 1.8
1.01 to 1.50	0	+/- 12	0%	+/- 1.8
1.51 or more	0	+/- 12	0.0%	+/- 1.8
<b>VALUE</b>				
<b>Owner-occupied units</b>	856	+/- 153	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than \$50,000	33	+/- 39	3.9%	+/- 4.5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	8	+/- 14	0.9%	+/- 1.6
\$100,000 to \$149,999	37	+/- 29	4.3%	+/- 3.5
\$150,000 to \$199,999	141	+/- 111	16.5%	+/- 11
\$200,000 to \$299,999	139	+/- 77	16.2%	+/- 8.7
\$300,000 to \$499,999	441	+/- 94	51.5%	+/- 11
\$500,000 to \$999,999	57	+/- 38	6.7%	+/- 4.5

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\$1,000,000 or more	0	+/- 12	0%	+/- 4
<b>Median (dollars)</b>	\$325,500	+/- 28568	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>MORTGAGE STATUS</b>				
<b>Owner-occupied units</b>	856	+/- 153	100.0%	+/- (X)
Housing units with a mortgage	749	+/- 146	87.5%	+/- 5.9
Housing units without a mortgage	107	+/- 52	12.5%	+/- 5.9
<b>SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS (SMOC)</b>				
<b>Housing units with a mortgage</b>	749	+/- 146	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than \$300	0	+/- 12	0%	+/- 4.6
\$300 to \$499	9	+/- 16	1.2%	+/- 2.1
\$500 to \$699	29	+/- 33	3.9%	+/- 4.2
\$700 to \$999	24	+/- 36	3.2%	+/- 4.9
\$1,000 to \$1,499	36	+/- 29	4.8%	+/- 4.1
\$1,500 to \$1,999	328	+/- 141	43.8%	+/- 13.9
\$2,000 or more	323	+/- 97	43.1%	+/- 12.4
<b>Median (dollars)</b>	\$1,938	+/- 103	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>Housing units without a mortgage</b>	107	+/- 52	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than \$100	0	+/- 12	0%	+/- 27.3
\$100 to \$199	0	+/- 12	0%	+/- 27.3
\$200 to \$299	0	+/- 12	0%	+/- 27.3
\$300 to \$399	0	+/- 12	0%	+/- 27.3
\$400 or more	107	+/- 52	100%	+/- 27.3
<b>Median (dollars)</b>	\$645	+/- 244	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (SMOCAPI)</b>				
<b>Housing units with a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)</b>	749	+/- 146	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than 20.0 percent	288	+/- 102	38.5%	+/- 14.5
20.0 to 24.9 percent	205	+/- 83	27.4%	+/- 9.8
25.0 to 29.9 percent	103	+/- 107	13.8%	+/- 12.7
30.0 to 34.9 percent	35	+/- 32	4.7%	+/- 4.4
35.0 percent or more	118	+/- 70	15.8%	+/- 8.8
Not computed	0	+/- 12	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>Housing unit without a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)</b>	107	+/- 52	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than 10.0 percent	51	+/- 43	47.7%	+/- 34.1
10.0 to 14.9 percent	13	+/- 22	12.1%	+/- 19
15.0 to 19.9 percent	25	+/- 26	23.4%	+/- 20.9
20.0 to 24.9 percent	18	+/- 25	16.8%	+/- 24.4
25.0 to 29.9 percent	0	+/- 12	0%	+/- 27.3
30.0 to 34.9 percent	0	+/- 12	0%	+/- 27.3
35.0 percent or more	0	+/- 12	0%	+/- 27.3
Not computed	0	+/- 12	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>GROSS RENT</b>				
<b>Occupied units paying rent</b>	1,088	+/- 156	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than \$200	28	+/- 24	2.6%	+/- 2.2
\$200 to \$299	34	+/- 40	3.1%	+/- 3.6
\$300 to \$499	37	+/- 28	3.4%	+/- 2.6
\$500 to \$749	39	+/- 32	3.6%	+/- 2.8
\$750 to \$999	65	+/- 43	6%	+/- 3.8
\$1,000 to \$1,499	287	+/- 109	26.4%	+/- 8.4
\$1,500 or more	598	+/- 116	55%	+/- 8.6

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<b>Median (dollars)</b>	\$1,563	+/- 103	(X)%	+/- (X)
No rent paid	24	+/- 40	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (GRAPI)</b>				
<b>Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAPI cannot be computed)</b>	1,035	+/- 153	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than 15.0 percent	102	+/- 75	9.9%	+/- 7.2
15.0 to 19.9 percent	197	+/- 106	19%	+/- 9.2
20.0 to 24.9 percent	120	+/- 74	11.6%	+/- 7
25.0 to 29.9 percent	156	+/- 88	15.1%	+/- 8.7
30.0 to 34.9 percent	113	+/- 77	10.9%	+/- 7.5
35.0 percent or more	347	+/- 133	33.5%	+/- 11.6
Not computed	77	+/- 61	(X)%	+/- (X)

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

The median gross rent excludes no cash renters.

In prior years, the universe included all owner-occupied units with a mortgage. It is now restricted to include only those units where SMOCAPI is computed, that is, SMOC and household income are valid values.

In prior years, the universe included all owner-occupied units without a mortgage. It is now restricted to include only those units where SMOCAPI is computed, that is, SMOC and household income are valid values.

In prior years, the universe included all renter-occupied units. It is now restricted to include only those units where GRAPI is computed, that is, gross rent and household Income are valid values.

Median calculations for base table sourcing VAL, MHC, SMOC, and TAX should exclude zero values.

The 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, and 2013 plumbing data for Puerto Rico will not be shown. Research indicates that the questions on plumbing facilities that were introduced in 2008 in the stateside American Community Survey and the 2008 Puerto Rico Community Survey may not have been appropriate for Puerto Rico.

Telephone service data are not available for certain geographic areas due to problems with data collection. See Errata Note #93 for details.

While the 2009-2013 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the February 2013 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2010 data. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2009-2013 5-Year American Community Survey

Explanation of Symbols:

1. An '\*\*\*' entry in the margin of error column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.
2. An '-' entry in the estimate column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute an estimate, or a ratio of medians cannot be calculated because one or both of the median estimates falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
3. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
4. An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
5. An '\*\*\*\*' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the median falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution. A statistical test is not appropriate.
6. An '\*\*\*\*\*' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.
7. An 'N' entry in the estimate and margin of error columns indicates that data for this geographic area cannot be displayed because the number of sample cases is too small.
8. An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.